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Summary or arbitrary executions

Report by the Special Rapporteur, Mr. S. Amos Wako, pursuant to Commission on Human Rights resolution 1991/71

Corrigendum

1. Paragraph 526 should read as follows:

Government reply

526. On 3 July 1991, a reply was received from the Government of Thailand to the Special Rapporteur's cable of 4 June 1991. It was stated that media reports alleging the deportation from Thailand of asylum-seekers from Myanmar were incorrect since the target group for deportation from Thailand was not intended to include "asylum-seekers" from Myanmar but rather those from Myanmar who had illegally entered Thailand in search of employment. Deportation of illegal immigrants from Myanmar would be undertaken in accordance with normal immigration procedures pertaining to the illegal entry of aliens. A separate humanitarian arrangement was currently applied to those from Myanmar who had entered the Kingdom as a result of the political situation in Myanmar in 1988, allowing them to

stay in Thailand temporarily. They were also accorded humanitarian treatment and assistance until such time as the situation allowed for their safe return to Myanmar. None of those illegal immigrants from Myanmar to be deported from Thailand had claimed to be under the above-mentioned category.

2. Paragraph 539

Replace the eighth sentence, beginning "In the case in question ..." by the following:

"This being the case, the Court decides that the trial be held in camera".